State of Kansas Department of Health and Environment

Public Notice Concerning Kansas / Federal Water Pollution Control Permits and Applications

State of Kansas Public Notice No.: KS-AG-17-095/102 KS-Q-17-075/076

Department of Health and Environment Division of Environment-Bureau of Water

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Telephone: (785) 296-6432 - Ag Permits Beginning Date: June 22, 2017

(785) 296-5517 - All Others Comments Due: July 22, 2017

In accordance with Kansas Administrative Regulations 28-16-57 through 63, 28-18-1 through 17, 28-18a-1 through 33, 28-16-150 through 154, 28-46-7, and the authority vested with the State by the administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, various draft water pollution control documents (permits, notices to revoke and reissue, notices to terminate) have been prepared and/or permit applications have been received for discharges to waters of the United States and the state of Kansas for the class of discharges described below.

The proposed actions concerning the draft documents are based on staff review, applying the appropriate standards, regulations, and effluent limitations of the state of Kansas and the Environmental Protection Agency. The final action will result in a Federal National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Authorization and/or a Kansas Water Pollution Control permit being issued, subject to certain conditions, revocation, and reissuance of the designated permit or termination of the designated permit.

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Pending Permits for Confined Feeding Facilities

Name And Address of Applicant Legal Description **Receiving Water** Big Blue River Basin

SE/4 of Section 27 & Daryl Bott Bott Cattle Co. Inc. NE/4 of Section 34 1663 1st Road

T05S, R03E

Palmer, KS 66962 **Washington County**

Kanas Permit No.: A-BBWS-C001 Federal Permit No.: KS0117200

The current permit is being modified to change the planned drainage control structure for the feed storage silo. There are no other changes to the permit. Only the portions of the permit being modified are subject to comment. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Greg Bergkamp Cottonwood Feeders, LLC 7690 NE 50th Street Pretty Prairie, KS 67570

E/2 of Section 11 T27S. R10W Kingman County

Lower Arkansas River Basin

KS-PT-17-009/010

Kansas Permit No.: A-ARKM-C001 Federal Permit No.: KS0099686

This is a reissued permit for an existing facility for 20,000 head (20,000 animal units) of cattle weighing greater than 700 pounds. There is no change in the number of animal units. The permit contains modifications consisting of a commodity storage area on the south side of the facility that will drain to a new sediment basin. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Bernard te Velde High Plains Ranch, LLC 12225 East Highway 160 Satanta, KS 67870 NW/4 & SW/4 of Section 03 T29S, R35W Grant County Cimarron River Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-CIGT-D001

Federal Permit No.: KS0096229

This is a renewal permit for an expanding facility. The existing dairy facility has the maximum capacity for 7,800 head (10,920 animal units) of mature dairy cows and 760 head (380 animal units) of dairy cattle weighing 700 pounds or less, for a total of 8,560 head (11,300 animal units) of dairy cattle. The facility encompasses approximately 147.7 acres; which includes 3 milk parlors, 12 freestall barns, feed storage area, manure composting area, the waste management system, and other miscellaneous areas. The waste management system includes flush systems, drainage ditches, two concrete pits, two dual manure screen separators, two concrete manure storage areas, two concrete settling basins, four earthen settling basins, and three Retention Control Structures (RCS). A proposed expansion of 134 acres will include open lot pens, manure/feed storage area, two sediment basins and two retention control structures. The facility proposes to add 4,500 head [4,500 animal units] of dairy cattle weighing greater than 700 pounds. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Dick Hemphill Hemphills, Inc. 90020 NW 90th Avenue Byers, KS 67021 SW/4 of Section 18 T26S, R14W Pratt County

Lower Arkansas River

Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-ARPR-B013

This is a new permit for an existing facility for 999 head (499.5 animal units) of cattle weighing 700 pounds or less. A proposed new earthen wastewater retention structure will be constructed to control runoff from the facility. This facility has an approved Waste Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Doug Cossman 27060 SW L Road Jetmore, KS 67854 SW/4 of Section 01 T23S, R24W Hodgeman County Upper Arkansas River

Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-UAHG-B009

This is a renewal permit for an existing facility with a maximum capacity of 400 head of cattle weighing more than 700 pounds (400 animal units) and 400 head of cattle weighing 700 pounds or less (200 animal units) for a total of 600 animal units. There is no change in the permitted animal units.

Allen Quenzer Rocking Q Farms, Inc. 3440 Road 66 Brewster, KS 67732 SE/4 of Section 10 T08S, R37W Sherman County Upper Republican River Basin

Walnut River Basin

Kansas River Basin

Kansas Permit No.: A-URSH-B005

This is a renewal permit for an existing facility for 900 head (900 animal units) of cattle weighing more than 700 pounds. There is no change in the permitted animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Waste Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Lance Thiessen
Lance Thiessen Feedlot

184 Old Mill Road Peabody, KS 66866 NW/4 of Section 34

T22S, R03E Marion County

Kansas Permit No.: A-WAMN-B002

This is a renewal permit for an existing facility for 999 head (999 animal units) of cattle weighing over 700 pounds. There are no changes in animal numbers from the previous permit.

Jay Rezac River Feedlot

24430 Aiken Switch Road

Onaga, KS 66521

NW/4 of Section 04

T10S, R11E

Pottawatomie County

Kansas Permit No.: A-KSPT-B002

This is a renewal permit for an existing facility for 700 head (350 animal units) of cattle 700 pounds or less and 299 head (299 animal units) of cattle more than 700 pounds for a total of 649 animal units. There is no change in the permitted animal units from the previous permit cycle.

Public Notice No.: KS-Q-17-075/076

The requirements of the draft permit public noticed below are pursuant to the Kansas Surface Water Quality Standards, K.A.R. 28-16-28 (b-q), and Federal Surface Water Criteria.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT RECEIVING STREAM TYPE OF DISCHARGE

Horton, City of Grasshopper Creek via Process Wastewater 205 E 8th Street Little Lake Municipal

Horton, KS 66439 Reservoir L-43

Kansas Permit No.: I-KS24-CO01 Federal Permit No.: KS0092185

Legal Description: SW1/4, S28, T4S, R17E, Brown County, KS

Facility Name: Horton Municipal Power Plant

Facility Location: 602 E 15th Street, Horton, KS 66439

The proposed action is to reissue an existing State/NPDES permit for an existing facility. This facility is a standby electrical generating station used for emergency power. Untreated lake water is circulated through the single phase heat exchangers for cooling of a diesel electric generator. The proposed permit contains generic language to protect waters of the state.

Nelson Quarries Inc. PO Box 100 Gas, KS 66742 Buffalo Creek via Elder Branch Pit De-Watering & Stormwater Runoff

Kansas Permit No.: I-VE02-PO02 Federal Permit No.: KS0089940

Legal Description: S½, S36, T27S, R15E and NW¼, SW¼, S31, T27S, R16E, Wilson County, KS

Facility Name: Benedict Quarry

The proposed action is to reissue an existing permit for discharge during quarrying operations. This is a limestone quarrying and crushing operation, which occasionally washes rock. Outfall 001A1 consists of wash water and stormwater runoff that is treated by a settling pond. The proposed permit contains limits for total suspended solids.

Public Notice No.: KS-PT-17-009/010

The requirements of the draft permits public noticed below are pursuant to the Kansas Administrative Regulations 28-16-82 through 28-16-98, and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Pretreatment Regulation 40 CFR 403.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT

RECEIVING FACILITY
Hillsboro MWWTP

TYPE OF DISCHARGE

Process Wastewater

Circle D Corporation 613 North Ash Street Hillsboro, KS 67063

Kansas Permit No.: P-NE35-OO02

Federal Tracking No.: KSP000034

The proposed action consists of reissuing an existing pretreatment permit for an existing facility. This facility manufactures fifth wheel trailers and pickup flatbed bodies which are welded, phosphating and painted, to produce the final product. The phosphating system uses a pressure spray gun system. Phosphating is considered to be a type of conversion coating operation, which is one of the six core processes under the Metal Finishing Standard. The proposed permit contains limits for total toxic organics, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, nickel, silver, zinc, cyanide, and pH, as well as monitoring of flow.

Heatron Inc. 3000 Wilson Ave. Leavenworth, KS 66048 Leavenworth WWTP

Process Wastewater

Kansas Permit No.: P-MO12-OO03 Federal Tracking No.: KSP000114

Facility Name: Heatron Inc. – Plant #2

Facility Location: 200 Commercial Street, Leavenworth, KS 66048

The proposed action consists of reissuing an existing pretreatment permit for an existing facility. This facility manufactures cartridge heaters used in various industrial and medical applications. Metal parts are cleaned, polished, and passivated to produce the heaters. Passivating is a core process under the Metal Finishing Standard. The proposed permit contains limits for total toxic organics, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, nickel, silver, zinc, cyanide, and pH, as well as monitoring of flow.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the draft documents and/or permit applications must submit their comments in writing to the Kansas Department of Health and Environment if they wish to have the comments or objections considered in the decision making process. Comments or objections should be submitted to the attention of Livestock Waste Management Section for agricultural related draft documents or applications, or to the permit clerk for all other permits, at the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Division of Environment, Bureau of Water, 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 420, Topeka, Kansas 66612-1367.

All comments regarding the draft documents or application notices received on or before <u>July 22, 2017</u>, will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding this public notice. Please refer to the appropriate Kansas document number (KS-AG-17-095/102, KS-Q-17-075/076, KS-PT-17-009/010) and name of the applicant/permittee when preparing comments.

After review of any comments received during the public notice period, the Secretary of Health and Environment will issue a determination regarding final agency action on each draft document/application. If response to any draft document/application indicates significant public interest, a public hearing may be held in conformance with K.A.R. 28-16-61 (28-46-21 for UIC).

All draft documents / application and the supporting information including any comments received are on file and may be inspected at the offices of the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Bureau of Water, 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 420, Topeka, Kansas. These documents are available upon request at the copying cost assessed by KDHE. Application information and components of plans and specifications for all new and expanding swine facilities are available on the Internet at http://www.kdheks.gov/feedlots. Division of Environment offices are open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.